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AMCONSUL KARACHI PRIORITY

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FOR AMBASSADOR CHARGE OR PO FROM INSPECTOR GENERAL

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SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF DEPUTY INSPECTOR GENERAL
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1. IN ACCORDANCE WITH STANDING PROCEDURES, I HAVE ASKED
DEPUTY INSPECTOR GENERAL, SANFORD MENTER, TO FAMILIARIZE
HIMSELF WITH THE FIELD PHASE OF THE INSPECTIONS OF AF/W,
AF/E AND NEA/PAB TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY HIS LIMITED
TIME AND WORKLOAD DEMANDS. HE MAY VISIT A POST BEFORE,
DURING OR AFTER THE PERIOD THE INSPECTION TEAM IS THERE.

2. HIS SCHEDULE AT A POST IS FLEXIBLE AND SUBJECT TO YOUR WISHES. WE HAVE FOUND THAT THESE VISITS SUPPORT THE S/IG COMPLIANCE PROCEDURES, GIVE MAXIMUM CONTINUITY TO THE INSPECTION PROCESS, AND STRENGTHEN S/IG'S INPUT DURING DEPARTMENTAL DECISION MAKING ON QUESTIONS OF POLICY AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT. HE WILL WANT TO CONSULT WITH YOU AND OTHER SENIOR MEMBERS OF YOUR STAFF ON MATTERS OF MUTUAL CONCERN RELATING TO THE INSPECTION PROCESS. ALSO, AT YOUR DISCRETION HE WOULD BE PREPARED TO ADDRESS A GENERAL STAFF MEETING TO DISCUSS DEVELOPMENTS IN THE DEPARTMENT THAT MAY BE OF INTEREST.

3. IF YOU HAVE NO OBJECTION, MR. MENTER'S TENTATIVE TRAVEL SCHEDULE IS AS FOLLOWS:

MARCH 7 TUES. LV. D.C. (DULLES) 1400 BN 104
MARCH 7 AR. N.Y. (JFK) 1515
MARCH 7 TUES. LV. N.Y. (JFK) 1830 PA 190
MARCH 8 WED. AR. LAGOS 1350
MARCH 11 SAT. LV. LAGOS 1450 PA 188
MARCH 11 AR. NAIROBI 2330
MARCH 14 TUE. LV. NAIROBI 1415 KQ 220
MARCH 14 AR. KARACHI 2140
MARCH 15 WED. LV. KARACHI 0730 PK 300
MARCH 15 AR. RAWALPINDI 0915
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MARCH 17 FRI. LV. ISLAMABAD GO VEHICLE
MARCH 17 AR. KABUL
MARCH 21 TUES. LV. KABUL 0930 FG 711
MARCH 21 AR. TEHRAN 1140
MARCH 22 WED. LV. TEHRAN 0855 PA 1
MARCH 22 AR. LONDON 1355
MARCH 25 SAT. LV. LONDON 1240 PA 107
MARCH 25 AR. D.C. (DULLES) 1500

4. IF THE ITINERARY ABOVE IS NON-DISRUPTIVE TO MISSION PLANS AND OPERATIONS, MR. MENTER WOULD APPRECIATE THE POST RESERVING A SINGLE ROOM IN A CONVENIENTLY LOCATED, COMFORTABLE HOTEL, WHERE RATES ARE WITHIN THE PER DIEM, FOR THE DATES INDICATED.

5. PLEASE MEET AND ASSIST AND RECONFIRM ONWARD RESERVATIONS.

6. A COPY OF THIS MESSAGE SHOULD BE PROVIDED:
SENIOR INSPECTOR ARNOLD AT LAGOS; SENIOR INSPECTOR HEMENWAY AT NAIROBI; AND SENIOR INSPECTOR CROSS AT ISLAMABAD.

7. PLEASE NOTE:

A. FOR KARACHI - STOP-OVER RELATED TO AIRLINE SCHEDULES.
HOPE NOT TO BOTHER YOU FOR SUPPORT SERVICES BUT IF
CONVENIENT WOULD LIKE EXCHANGE VIEWS AND SHARE NIGHTCAP
WITH YOU. KENYA AIRLINES REQUESTED MAKE HOTEL RESERVAT-
IONS ITS EXPENSE.

B. FOR RAWALPINDI AND KABUL - WOULD BE GRATEFUL IF
APPROPRIATE ARRANGEMENTS COULD BE MADE TO TRAVEL VIA
GOVERNMENT VEHICLE ON MARCH 17.

C. FOR TEHRAN - STOP-OVER RELATED TO AIRLINE SCHEDULES.
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MR. MENTER WOULD APPRECIATE HOTEL RESERVATIONS, AS WELL
AS OPPORTUNITY HAVE BRIEFINGS BY EMBASSY OFFICERS TO
OBTAIN THEIR VIEWS OF SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES FROM THEIR
PERSPECTIVE IN NEA/PAB COUNTRIES.

D. FOR LONDON - MR. MENTER WOULD APPRECIATE OVERVIEW
BRIEFINGS BY EMBASSY OFFICERS AND POSSIBLY FO OFFICIALS
RELATING TO PRIMARY SUBSTANTIVE ISSUES FROM UK PERSPECTIVE
IN NIGERIA, KENYA, PAKISTAN AND BANGLADESH AS WELL AS
ON CERTAIN OTHER COUNTRIES BEING INSPECTED, NAMELY:
SUDAN, SOMALIA, GHANA AND SIERRA LEONE. (REGARDING HOTEL,
PREFER BRITTANIA.) VANCE

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